



Jane R. Abend

April 25, 1916 - March 18, 2008

Jane R. Abend, 91, formerly of 111 Hoover Drive, Syracuse, New York, died Tuesday, March 18, 2008 at Loretto in Syracuse. Jane was born April 25, 1916 in Syracuse, New York, the daughter of George and Sue (Cuthbert) Rich. She was a graduate of Onondaga Valley Academy and was employed as an office manager at Collier's Publications for 20 years. She was a former member of LaFayette Avenue United Methodist Church where she also taught Sunday School. She enjoyed cooking and baking for her family.

Jane is survived by her daughter, Barbara O'Leary and her husband, Frank of Medford, Massachusetts; her son, Richard Abend and his wife, Donna of Danvers, Massachusetts; her loving grandchildren, Kelly Schultz and her husband, David and grandson, John Abend; sisters-in-law, Josephine and Thelma Rich; several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her parents; her husband, William G. Abend in 1991 and two brothers, Clint and Charles Rich.

Funeral Service: Friday, March 21, 2008, 9:00 a.m. at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, 4612 S. Salina Street, Syracuse, New York with Rev. Thomas Schafer officiating.

Burial: Onondaga Valley Cemetery, 2500 Valley Drive, Syracuse, New York.

Calling Hours: Thursday, March 20, 2008, 5:00 8:00 p.m. at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, 4612 S. Salina Street, Syracuse, New York.

Contributions: Loretto, Development Office, 1305 Nottingham Road, Jamesville, New York 13078.

Tribute Wall



“ Barb & Dick & Families, We are sorry we can not be with you. Mom has been in the hospital for the last six weeks. She will be coming home next week. We pray for your Mom's happiness in heaven. And for the Lord to comfort you. We are sorry we will miss seeing you. What a wonderful neighborhood we all grew up in. You & your parents will always be part of our happy memories. God Bless you all, Mary & Barb McCann Mary Pat Stoddard & Family Dennis McCann & Family

March 19, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ To Barbara Frank and Kelly, Please know that our hearts and prayers are with you.

March 19, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Godspeed to you Jane. I didn;t know you but your daughter Barbara is a good friend of mine and a wonderful woman which is a reflection of you. God Bless

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“ My mom and dad (Dot & Ike Eichelberger) spoke often of the good times they had with your mom and dad. Please accept my sympathies on your loss. Jackie MacDonald Nashua, New Hampshire

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“ *May Aunt Jane rest in peace with Uncle Bill. My thoughts and prayers are with her family.*

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“ *Bless you dear cousin. We didn't get to see you very often over the years, but we certainly have wonderful memories of the times we did. Now we tuck you in our hearts along with Aunt Sue, Clint and Charles and your Bill. Barbara and Dick, we thank you for the loving care you gave your mother and we lift you up in prayer. Wish we could be there with you. Verne*

March 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *I loved the visits I use to have with Jane and Mother (Rita) at the farm. She was a lovely lady and she will be missed.*

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